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I've got a new Book, full of fine pictures, too!
And now I will try to read it all through;
Thus showing Mamma how good I can be,
And how well I remember my A, B, C, D.

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THE ALPHABET IN RHYME.

APE.

BOY.

Aa Bb ***Aa Bb***

A is for Ass, for Ape, and for Ark,
As well as for Ant and for Ann;
B is for Boy, for Bat, and for Bark,
For Bag, and for Bed, and for Bran.

COW.

DOG.

Cc ***Cc*** **Dd** ***Dd***

C is for Cow, for Calf, and for Cart,
For Cot, and for Cat, and for Cake;
D is for Dog, for Dame, and for Dart,
And also for Duck and for Drake.

ELK.

FROG.

Ee *Ee* Ff *Ff*

E is for Eye, for Ear and for East,
For Elk, and for Eel, and for End;
F is for Fire, for Fan, and for Feast,
For Fox, and for Frank, and for Friend.

GIRL.

HORSE.

Gg *Gg* Hh *Hh*

G is for Girl, for Grate, and for Gull;
For Go, and for Gun, and forGate,
H is for Hen, for Hop, and for Hull,
For Hat, and for Hut, and for Hate.

IBEX.

JACKAL.

I i ***I i*** **J j** ***J j***

I is for Ink, for Idler, for Inn,
For Ibex, for Ice, and for Ill;
J is for Jug, for John, and for Jim,
For Jig, and for Jack, and for Jill.

KITE.

LAMB.

K k ***K k*** **L l** ***L l***

K is for Kite, for Kid, and for Key,
For Kiss, and for Keg, and for Keep;
L is for Lamb, for Lad, and for Lee,
For Lip, and for Leg, and for Leap.

EP

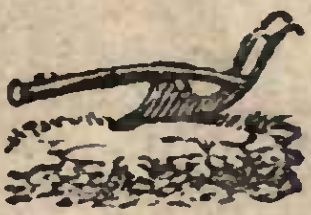
MAN.

NEST.

Mm *Mm* Nn *Nn*

M is for Mask, for Mary, and Mail,
For Man, and for Map, and for Moon;
N is for Nose, for Net, and for Nail,
For Nut, and for Nest, and for Noon.

OX.



PLOW.

Oo *Oo* Pp *Pp*

O is for Old, for Owl, and for Out,
For Ox, and for Oar, and for Oak;
P is for Play, for Pin, and for Pout,
And also for Pen, Pig, and Pork.

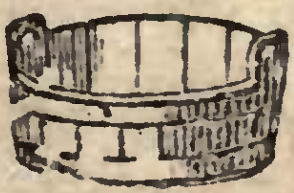
QUINCE.

ROSE.

Qq ***Qq*** **Rr** ***Rr***

Q is for Quiet, for Quiver, and Quill,
For Quick, and for Queen, and for Quack;
R is for Rabbit, for Rat, and for Rill,
For Rose, and for Ring, and for Rack.

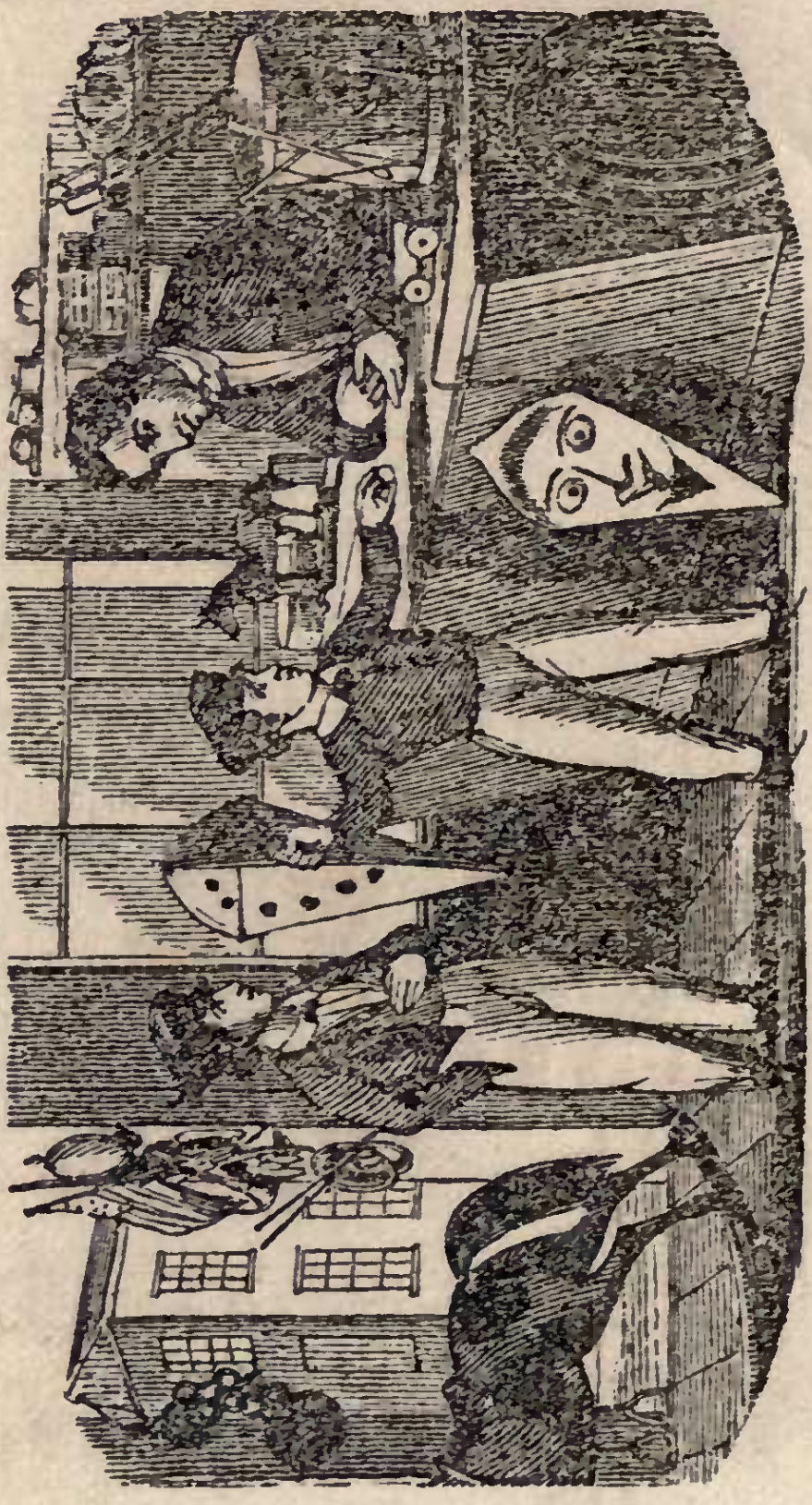
SNAKE.



TUB.

Ss ***Ss*** **Tt** ***Tt***

S is for See, for Ship, and for Shop,
For Sister, for Star and for Sun;
T is for Tree, for Ten, and for Top,
For Tub, and for Toad, and for Tun.



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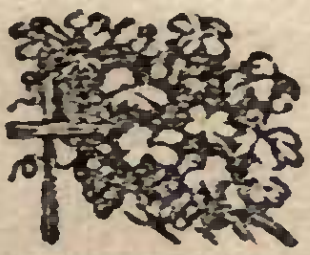


VINE.

Uu ***Uu*** **Vv** ***Vv***

U is for Urchin, for Urus, for Urn,
For Use, and for Up, and for Us;
V is for Vend, for Visit, and Vein,
For Vine, and for Vat, and for Vice.

WHALE.

XERXES.

Ww ***Ww*** **Xx** ***Xx***

W is for Wagon, for Wig, and for Wing,
For Whale, and for Wine, and for Wrist,
X is for Xerxes, a famous old king,
But for words not a very long list.

YOKE.

ZEBRA.

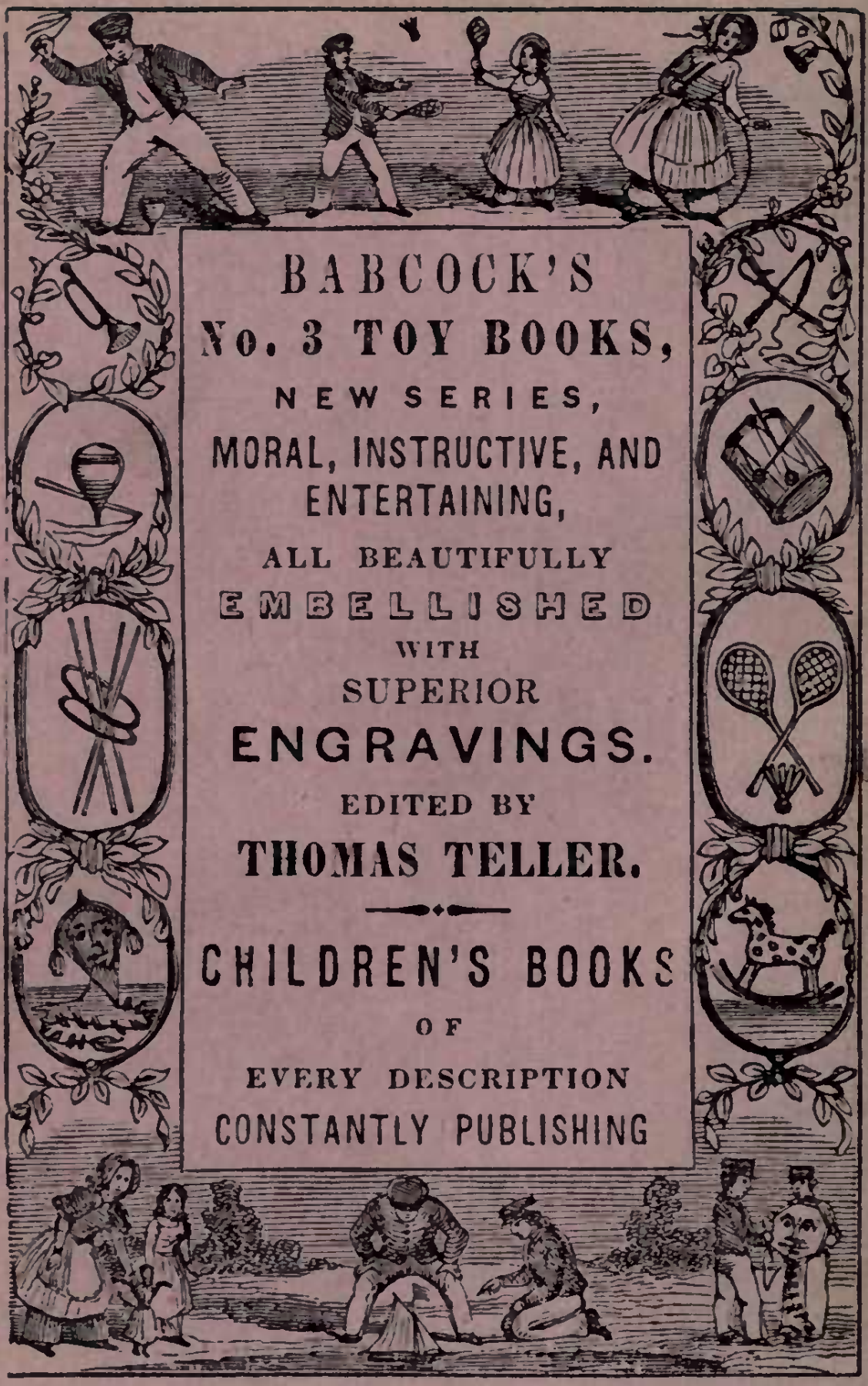
Yy ***Yy*** **Zz** ***Zz***

Y is for Yoke, for You and for Yell,
For Youth, and for Year, and for Yeast;
Z is for Zebra, for Zany, and Zeal,
For Zephyr, for Zone, and for Zest.

& **and** ***&*** ***and***

& is a character often times used,
In place of the word A–N–D,
And though not a letter 'tis never refused
A place in the A–B–C.

The twenty-six letters have now all
been named,
And I hope you will learn them at
once;
Indeed, if you don't you will need
be ashamed
To be known for a very great dunce.



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